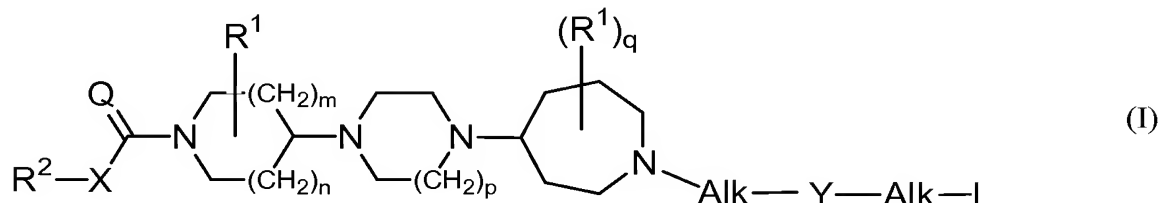


This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A compound according to ~~the general~~ Formula (I)



the pharmaceutically acceptable acid or base addition salts thereof, the stereochemically isomeric forms thereof, or the N-oxide forms thereof ~~and prodrugs thereof~~, wherein :

n is an integer, equal to 0, 1 or 2;

m is an integer, equal to 1 or 2, provided that if m is 2, then n is 1;

p is an integer equal to 1 or 2;

q is an integer equal to 0 or 1;

Q is O or NR³;

X is a covalent bond or a bivalent radical of formula -O-, -S- or -NR³-;

each R³ independently from each other, is hydrogen or alkyl;

each R¹ independently from each other, is ~~selected from the group of~~ Ar¹, Ar¹-alkyl or ~~and~~ di(Ar¹)-alkyl;

R² is Ar², Ar²-alkyl, di(Ar²)alkyl, Het¹ or Het¹-alkyl;

Y is a covalent bond or a bivalent radical of formula -C(=O)-, -SO₂-, >C=CH-R or >C=N-R, wherein R is H, CN or nitro ;

each Alk ~~is represents~~, independently from each other, a covalent bond; a bivalent straight or branched, saturated or unsaturated hydrocarbon radical having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms; or a cyclic saturated or unsaturated hydrocarbon radical having from 3 to 6 carbon atoms; each radical optionally substituted on one or more carbon atoms with one or more alkyl, phenyl, halo, cyano, hydroxy, formyl or ~~and~~ amino radicals;

L is ~~selected from the group of~~ hydrogen, alkyl, alkyloxy, Ar³-oxy, alkyloxycarbonyl, mono- ~~or and~~ di(alkyl)amino, mono-~~or and~~ di(Ar³)amino, Ar³, Ar³carbonyl, Het² ~~or and~~ Het²carbonyl;

Ar¹ is phenyl, optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, ~~that is selected from the group of~~ halo, alkyl, cyano, aminocarbonyl ~~or and~~ alkyloxy;

Ar² is naphthalenyl or phenyl, each optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, ~~that is selected from the group of~~ halo, nitro, amino, mono- ~~or and~~ di(alkyl)amino, cyano, alkyl, hydroxy, alkyloxy, carboxyl, alkyloxycarbonyl, aminocarbonyl ~~or and~~ mono- ~~or and~~ di(alkyl)aminocarbonyl;

Ar³ is naphthalenyl or phenyl, optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, ~~that is selected from the group of~~ alkyloxy, alkyl, halo, hydroxy, pyridinyl, morpholinyl, pyrrolidinyl, imidazo[1,2-*a*]pyridinyl, morpholinylcarbonyl, pyrrolidinylcarbonyl, amino ~~or and~~ cyano;

Het¹ is a monocyclic heterocyclic radical ~~that is selected from the the group of~~ pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, furanyl, thienyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, isothiazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl ~~or and~~ pyridazinyl; or a bicyclic heterocyclic radical ~~that is selected from the group of~~ quinolinyl, quinoxalinyl, indolyl, benzimidazolyl, benzoxazolyl, benzisoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, benzisothiazolyl, benzofuranyl ~~or and~~ benzothienyl; each heterocyclic radical may optionally be substituted on any atom by a radical ~~that is selected from the group of~~ halo ~~or and~~ alkyl;

Het² is a monocyclic heterocyclic radical ~~that is selected from the group of~~ pyrrolidinyl, dioxolyl, imidazolidinyl, pyrrazolidinyl, piperidinyl, morpholinyl, dithianyl, thiomorpholinyl, piperazinyl, imidazolidinyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, 2H-pyrrolyl, pyrrolinyl, imidazolyl, pyrrazolyl, pyrrolyl, imidazolyl, pyrazolyl, triazolyl, furanyl, thienyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, thiadiazolyl, isothiazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl, pyridazinyl ~~or and~~ triazinyl; or a bicyclic heterocyclic radical ~~that is selected from the group of~~ benzopiperidinyl, quinolinyl, quinoxalinyl, indolyl, isoindolyl, chromenyl, benzimidazolyl, imidazo[1,2-*a*]pyridinyl, benzoxazolyl, benzisoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, benzisothiazolyl, benzofuranyl ~~or and~~ benzothienyl; each radical optionally substituted with one or more

radicals ~~that is selected from the group of~~ Ar¹, Ar¹alkyl, halo, hydroxy, alkyl, piperidinyl, pyrrolyl, thienyl, oxo, alkyloxy, alkyloxyalkyl or and alkyloxycarbonyl; and

alkyl is a straight or branched saturated hydrocarbon radical having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms or a cyclic saturated hydrocarbon radicals having from 3 to 6 carbon atoms; optionally substituted on one or more carbon atoms with one or more radicals ~~that is selected from the group of~~ phenyl, halo, cyano, oxo, hydroxy, formyl or and amino.

2. (Currently Amended) The [[A]] compound according to claim 1, ~~wherein~~ characterized in that

n is 1;

m is 1;

p is 1;

q is 0;

Q is O;

X is a covalent bond;

each R¹ is Ar¹ or Ar¹-alkyl;

R² is Ar²;

Y is a covalent bond or a bivalent radical of formula -C(=O)- ;

each Alk represents, independently from each other, a covalent bond

L is ~~selected from the group of~~ hydrogen, alkyloxy, Ar³ or and Het²;

Ar¹ is phenyl;

Ar² is phenyl, optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 alkyl radicals;

Ar³ is phenyl, optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, ~~that is selected from the group of~~ alkyl or and halo;

Het² is a monocyclic heterocyclic radical ~~that is selected from the group of~~ pyrazolyl, furanyl or and isoxazolyl, each radical optionally substituted with one or more alkyl radicals; and

alkyl is a straight hydrocarbon radical having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, optionally substituted with one or more halo radicals.

3. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ compound according to ~~claim~~ Claim 1 wherein R^1 is Ar^1 methyl and attached to the 2-position or R^1 is Ar^1 and attached to the 3-position.

4. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ compound according to ~~claim~~ Claim 1 wherein the R^2 -X-C(=Q)- moiety is 3,5-di-(trifluoromethyl) phenylcarbonyl.

5. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ compound according to ~~claim~~ Claim 1 wherein p is 1.

6. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ compound according to ~~claim~~ Claim 1 wherein Y is -C(=O)-.

7. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ compound according to ~~claim~~ Claim 1 wherein Alk is a covalent bond.

8. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ compound according to ~~claim~~ Claim 1 wherein L is Het^2 .

9. (Canceled)

10. (Canceled)

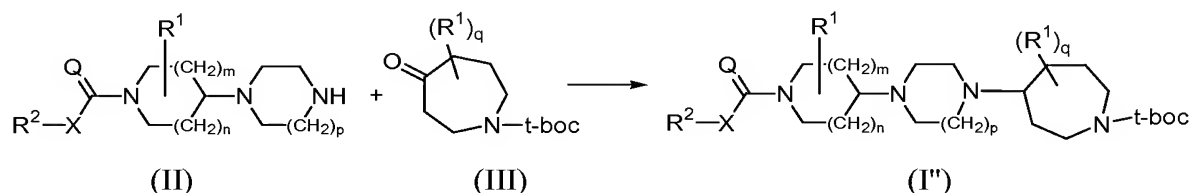
11. (Currently Amended) A method for the treatment ~~and/or prophylaxis~~ of a tachykinin mediated condition ~~[[s]]~~ comprising administering to a human in need of such treatment, administration of an effective amount of a compound according to claim 1.

12. (Currently Amended) A method for the treatment ~~and/or prophylaxis~~ of schizophrenia, emesis, anxiety, depression, irritable bowel syndrome ~~(IBS)~~, circadian rhythm disturbances, pain, neurogenic inflammation, asthma, micturition disorders, ~~such as urinary incontinence and~~ or nociception comprising, administering to a human in need of such treatment, administration of an effective amount of a compound according to claim 1.

13. (Previously Presented) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and, as active ingredient, a therapeutically effective amount of a compound according to claim 1.

14. (Previously Presented) A process for preparing a pharmaceutical composition comprising mixing a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier with a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 1.

15. (Currently Amended) A process for the preparation of a compound of Formula (I'') ~~in which an intermediate compound of Formula (II) is reacted with an intermediate compound of Formula (III), wherein the radicals R^2 , X, Q, R^1 , m, n, p and q are as defined in claim 1.~~



comprising reacting an intermediate compound of Formula (II) with an intermediate compound of Formula (III), wherein

n is an integer, equal to 0, 1 or 2;

m is an integer, equal to 1 or 2, provided that if m is 2, then n is 1;

p is an integer equal to 1 or 2;

q is an integer equal to 0 or 1;

Q is O or NR^3 ;

X is a covalent bond or a bivalent radical of formula -O-, -S- or -NR^3 -;

each R^3 independently from each other, is hydrogen or alkyl;

each R^1 independently from each other, is Ar^1 , Ar^1 -alkyl or $\text{di}(\text{Ar}^1)$ -alkyl;

R^2 is Ar^2 , Ar^2 -alkyl, $\text{di}(\text{Ar}^2)$ alkyl, Het^1 or Het^1 -alkyl;

Ar^1 is phenyl, optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, that is halo, alkyl, cyano, aminocarbonyl or alkyloxy;

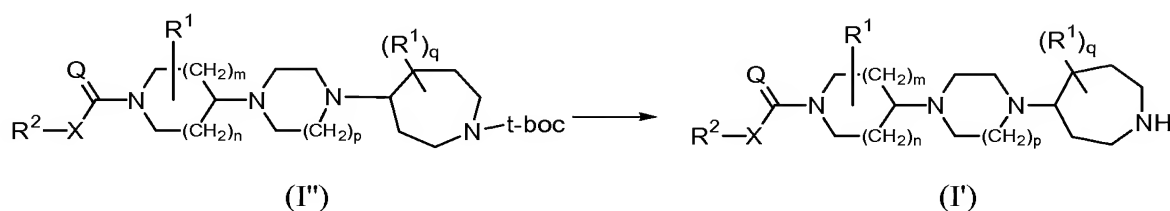
Ar^2 is naphthalenyl or phenyl, each optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, that is halo, nitro, amino, mono- or

di(alkyl)amino, cyano, alkyl, hydroxy, alkyloxy, carboxyl, alkyloxycarbonyl, aminocarbonyl and mono- or di(alkyl)aminocarbonyl;

Het¹ is a monocyclic heterocyclic radical that is pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, furanyl, thienyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, isothiazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl or pyridazinyl; or a bicyclic heterocyclic radical that is quinolinyl, quinoxalinyl, indolyl, benzimidazolyl, benzoxazolyl, benzisoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, benzisothiazolyl, benzofuranyl or benzothienyl; each heterocyclic radical may optionally be substituted on any atom by a radical that is halo or alkyl;

alkyl is a straight or branched saturated hydrocarbon radical having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms or a cyclic saturated hydrocarbon radicals having from 3 to 6 carbon atoms; optionally substituted on one or more carbon atoms with one or more radicals that is phenyl, halo, cyano, oxo, hydroxy, formyl or amino.

16.(Currently Amended) A process for the preparation of a compound of Formula (I'); ~~in which a final compound of Formula (I'') is reductively hydrogenated, wherein the radicals R², X, Q, R¹, m, n, p and q are as defined in claim 1.~~



comprising reductively hydrogenating a compound of Formula (I''), wherein

n is an integer, equal to 0, 1 or 2;

m is an integer, equal to 1 or 2, provided that if m is 2, then n is 1;

p is an integer equal to 1 or 2;

q is an integer equal to 0 or 1;

Q is O or NR³;

X is a covalent bond or a bivalent radical of formula -O-, -S- or -NR³-;

each R³ independently from each other, is hydrogen or alkyl;

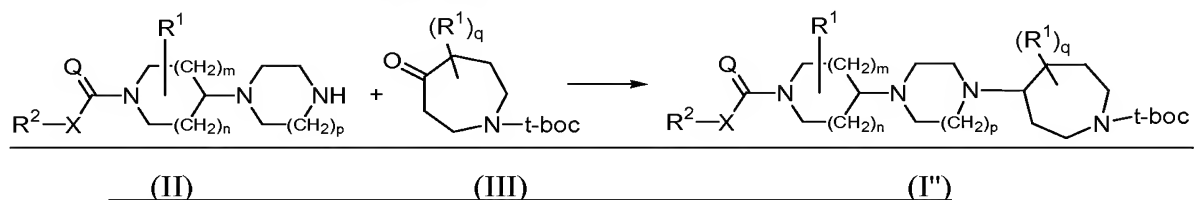
each R¹ independently from each other, is Ar¹, Ar¹-alkyl or di(Ar¹)-alkyl;
R² is Ar², Ar²-alkyl, di(Ar²)alkyl, Het¹ or Het¹-alkyl;
Ar¹ is phenyl, optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, that is halo, alkyl, cyano, aminocarbonyl or alkyloxy;

Ar² is naphthalenyl or phenyl, each optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, that is halo, nitro, amino, mono- or di(alkyl)amino, cyano, alkyl, hydroxy, alkyloxy, carboxyl, alkyloxycarbonyl, aminocarbonyl and mono- or di(alkyl)aminocarbonyl;

Het¹ is a monocyclic heterocyclic radical that is pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, furanyl, thienyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, isothiazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl or pyridazinyl; or a bicyclic heterocyclic radical that is quinolinyl, quinoxalinyl, indolyl, benzimidazolyl, benzoxazolyl, benzisoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, benzisothiazolyl, benzofuranyl or benzothienyl; each heterocyclic radical may optionally be substituted on any atom by a radical that is halo or alkyl;

alkyl is a straight or branched saturated hydrocarbon radical having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms or a cyclic saturated hydrocarbon radicals having from 3 to 6 carbon atoms; optionally substituted on one or more carbon atoms with one or more radicals that is phenyl, halo, cyano, oxo, hydroxy, formyl or amino.

17. (Currently Amended) A process for the preparation of a compound according to Formula (I') comprising the ~~consecutive~~ steps of



reacting an intermediate compound of Formula (II) with an intermediate compound of Formula (III), wherein

- n is an integer, equal to 0, 1 or 2;
m is an integer, equal to 1 or 2, provided that if m is 2, then n is 1;
p is an integer equal to 1 or 2;

q is an integer equal to 0 or 1;

Q is O or NR³;

X is a covalent bond or a bivalent radical of formula -O-, -S- or -NR³-;

each R³ independently from each other, is hydrogen or alkyl;

each R¹ independently from each other, is Ar¹, Ar¹-alkyl or di(Ar¹)-alkyl;

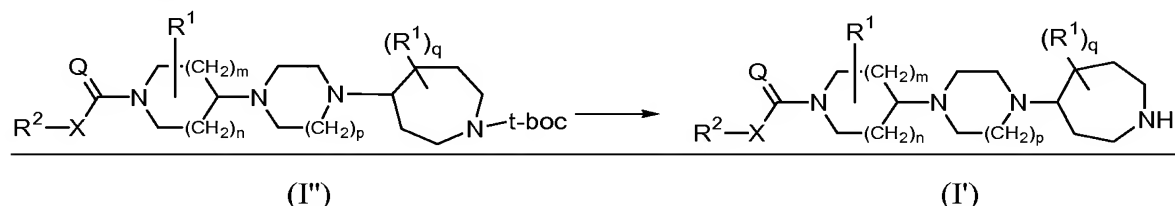
R² is Ar², Ar²-alkyl, di(Ar²)alkyl, Het¹ or Het¹-alkyl;

Ar¹ is phenyl, optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, that is halo, alkyl, cyano, aminocarbonyl or alkyloxy;

Ar² is naphthalenyl or phenyl, each optionally substituted with 1, 2 or 3 substituents, each independently from each other, that is halo, nitro, amino, mono- or di(alkyl)amino, cyano, alkyl, hydroxy, alkyloxy, carboxyl, alkyloxycarbonyl, aminocarbonyl and mono- or di(alkyl)aminocarbonyl;

Het¹ is a monocyclic heterocyclic radical that is pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, furanyl, thienyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, isothiazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl or pyridazinyl; or a bicyclic heterocyclic radical that is quinolinyl, quinoxalinyl, indolyl, benzimidazolyl, benzoxazolyl, benzisoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, benzisothiazolyl, benzofuranyl or benzothienyl; each heterocyclic radical may optionally be substituted on any atom by a radical that is halo or alkyl; and

alkyl is a straight or branched saturated hydrocarbon radical having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms or a cyclic saturated hydrocarbon radicals having from 3 to 6 carbon atoms; optionally substituted on one or more carbon atoms with one or more radicals that is phenyl, halo, cyano, oxo, hydroxy, formyl or amino; and

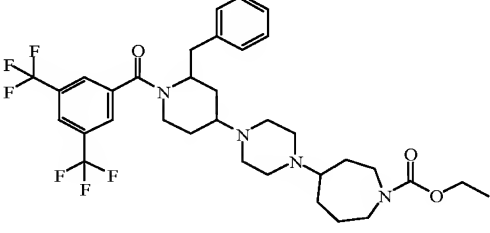
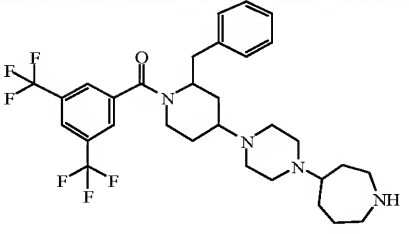
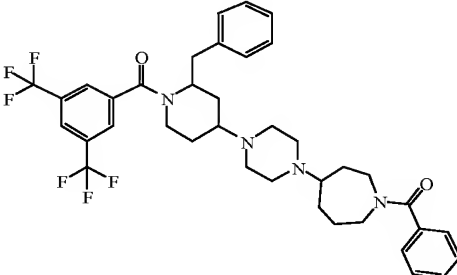
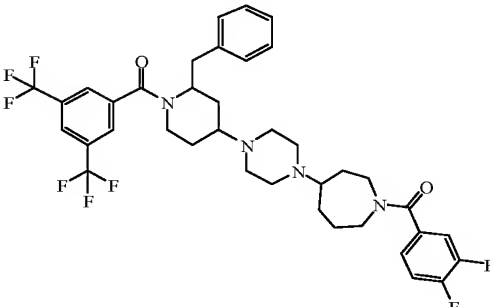
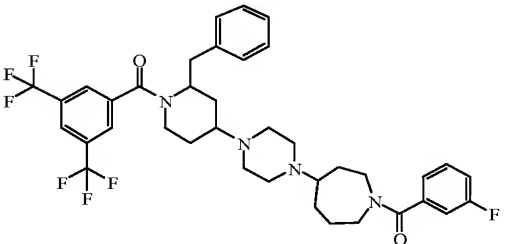


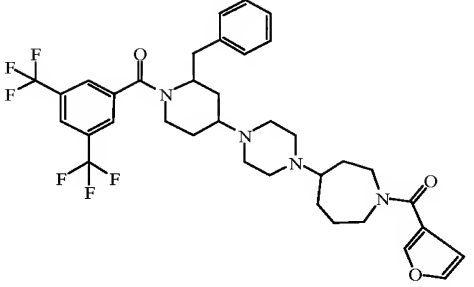
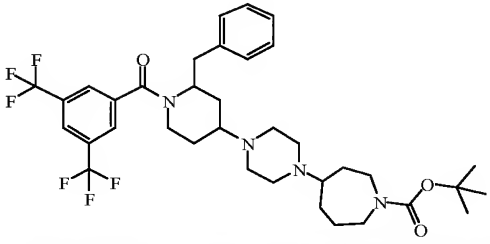
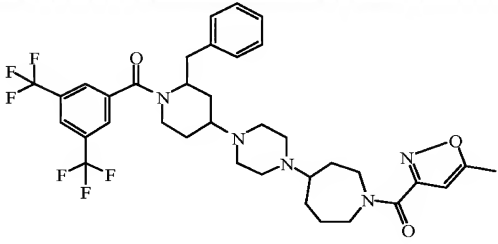
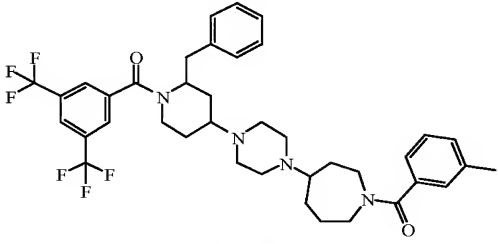
reductively hydrogenating the compound of Formula (I'').

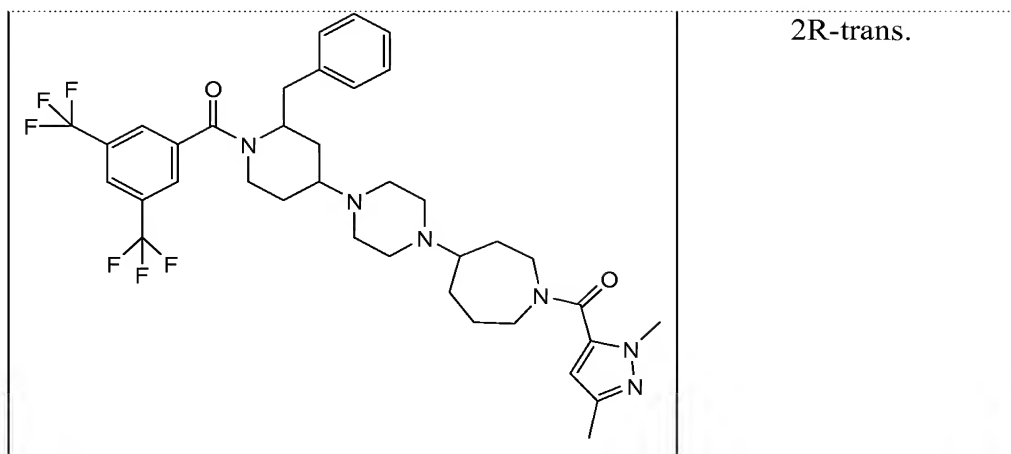
~~1) obtaining a compound of Formula (I'') according to claim 15;~~

~~2) obtaining a compound of Formula (I') according to claim 16.~~

18. (Currently Amended) A compound ~~that is selected from the group consisting of~~

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	2R-trans
	2R-trans
	2R-trans
	2R-trans

	2R-trans
	2R-trans
	2R-trans
	2R-trans
<p><u>orand</u></p>	



19. (New) The method of claim 12, wherein the micturition disorder is urinary incontinence.